

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re **PATENT** application of:

Applicant: Robert Alan Williams, *et al.*

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For: PERIPHERAL DEVICES AND METHODS FOR TRANSFERRING  
INCOMING DATA STATUS ENTRIES FROM A PERIPHERAL TO A  
HOST

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Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully  
requested in view of the following remarks.